UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

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CHAMBERS OF
TONIANNE J. BONGIOVANNI
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

U.S. COURTHOUSE 402 E. STATE STREET, RM 6052 TRENTON, NJ 08608

September 28, 2012

LETTER ORDER

Re: Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Limited, et al. v. Mylan Inc., et al.

Civil Action No. 11-2506 (JAP)

Dear Counsel:

The Court has received Mylan Pharmaceuticals Inc.'s ("Mylan") letter dated September 27, 2012

requesting guidance as to the appropriate time to raise with the Court the setting of a trial date. As the

parties are aware, three days ago, the Court entered a Letter Order setting forth the remaining schedule in

this matter. While firm dates were set for all other events, including the Final Pre-Trial Conference which

is scheduled to take place on May 1, 2013 at 11:00 A.M., the specific trial date was left to be set by the

District Court. The Court appreciates that the 30-month stay is set to expire on September 23, 2013. This

Court and the District Court are well aware of that deadline and the ramifications of this matter not being

tried in advance of same.

As noted above, the Final Pre-Trial Conference is currently scheduled to take place on May 1, 2013

and the parties should be prepared to conduct the trial of this matter immediately thereafter. While the Court

knows that the parties will endeavor to keep to the current schedule set by the Court, the Court is aware that

minor adjustments may have to be made. Consequently, the Court finds that it would be premature at this

juncture, seven months prior to the scheduled Final Pre-Trial Conference, to request a firm trial date from

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the District Court. As the parties should be aware from their involvement in prior cases, this Court shall

keep the District Court apprised of the progress of this matter. The Court expects that in early 2013,

provided the parties adhere to the current schedule, the District Court will set a trial date.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/ Tonianne J. Bongiovanni

TONIANNE J. BONGIOVANNI United States Magistrate Judge